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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

This responds to the Non-Final Office Action dated May 26, 2011 for which a three-month shortened period of response was set. Applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension of time and submit the appropriate fees by EFS, making a response timely if filed on or before **October 26, 2011**. It is believed that no additional fees are required for this filing. However, if the Commissioner determines that additional fees are required, Applicant hereby gives permission to take such fees from Deposit Account 02-4550.

Claims are provided in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 2. No amendments are made herein, the claims are included for the Office's reference.

Remarks begin on page 6, and end with a brief Conclusion on page 14.

In support of the Response, also submitted herewith are a **Declaration** under 37 C.F.R. §1.132 by Dr. Cuttitta (5 pages) with **Exhibits EE** (1 page) and **FF** (12 pages), and a **Declaration** under 37 C.F.R. §1.132 by Dr. Mulshine (7 pages) with **Exhibit GG** (38 pages).